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# Memorandum

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Bay-Delta Advisory Council

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Subject: Amendments to Ecosystem Restoration Projects

## Summary

On February 9, 2000, the contract amendment subcommittee of the Ecosystem Roundtable and the CALFED agency liaisons met in a public meeting to discuss four projects that had requested Level 1 amendments and two projects that had requested Level 2 amendments.

### **Detailed Discussion**

The contract amendment process provides for three levels of amendment depending on the nature and extent of the proposed change in budget, time, and scope. Level 1 amendments are staff-approved. Level 2 amendments are approved by Agency Liaisons, with input from the Ecosystem Roundtable Amendment Subcommittee. The process for these amendments is included in the attached supporting documentation.

The four Level 1 project amendments have been reviewed by the appropriate contracting agency staff, and after consultation with CALFED staff, were found reasonable and were approved. They are presented here for information.

Two Level 2 project amendments were reviewed by the Amendment Subcommittee and were recommended for approval by the Agency Liaisons.

### Action

These results are presented to the Bay-Delta Advisory Council for information.

### **CALFED Agencies**

The Resources Agency Department of Fish and Game Department of Water Resources California Environmental Protection Agency State Water Resources Control Board Department of Food and Agriculture

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**Environmental Protection Agency** Department of the Interior Fish and Wildlife Service Bureau of Reclamation U.S. Geological Survey Bureau of Land Management U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service U.S. Forest Service Department of Commerce National Marine Fisheries Service Western Area Power Administration

